

### How much does it cost?

Job Corps is a federally funded program that will cost you nothing. Students, spouses and/or dependent children can qualify for monthly allowances. Job Corps can provide free transportation to the center you have chosen.

### What happens when I arrive on center?

You will be assigned a peer buddy to show you around campus. During the orientation period, a career counselor will work with you to develop a career plan in an occupational area that's right for you.

### What is it like on center?

Centers have a campuslike setting with dorms for males and females. Some centers serve nonresidential students. Job Corps is committed to offering all students a safe learning environment and has a Zero Tolerance Policy for drugs and violence.

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### What is there to do at night or on weekends?

Most centers have a gym and recreational hall with games and other activities. There are also TV rooms in each dorm. On weekends, students travel to the mall, movies, concerts and sporting events.

### When can I leave the center or visit home?

Students may receive a pass for weekend visits with family or overnight trips off center. Passes are also given for holidays and emergency situations. Your parents or guardians are welcome to visit the Job Corps center at any time.

### I already have a job. Why do I need Job Corps?

Job Corps offers training for jobs that have a future that extends well beyond minimum wage. Job Corps centers work with employers to make sure your training is up to date and matches real-world jobs.

### Can I leave the program if I don't like it?

Yes. No one will keep you in Job Corps against your wishes. However, it is important that you make a commitment to give it your very best try.

## PHILADELPHIA REGION JOB CORPS LOCATIONS:



**(800) 733-JOBS**

<http://philadelphiaregion.jobcorps.gov>

<http://jobcorps.dol.gov>



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Job Corps is a federal training program for youth, administered by the U.S. Department of Labor.

Job Corps is a U.S. Department of Labor Equal Opportunity Employer Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. TDD/TTY telephone number (800) 733-JOBS.

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• Electrician • Facilities Maintenance • Health Occupations • Heavy Equipment Mechanic •  
Retail Sales • Security Officer • Tile Setting • Truck Driver • Welding ... and more!

## JOB CORPS IS FOR YOU

Job Corps is a free education and training program that each year helps approximately 62,000 young men and women get a better job and take control of their lives. At Job Corps you can learn career skills, earn your high school diploma or GED, and get help finding a good job or enrolling in college or the military.

At most Job Corps centers, you will live on a Job Corps center campus. There you will study and meet lots of different people.

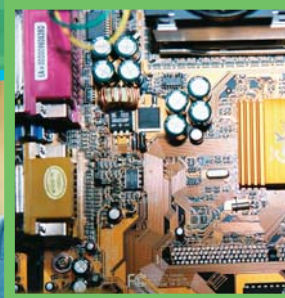
**If you are age 16 through 24 and want a better, more promising career, then Job Corps is for you.**

Everyone pictured in this brochure is a Job Corps student or graduate.



### TRAINING

Receive career training in areas ranging from carpentry to health occupations from professionals who understand what it takes to succeed. The best part is, whatever career area you choose, the training won't cost you anything!



### EDUCATION

If you weren't able to finish high school, don't worry. Job Corps can help you earn your high school diploma or GED. To gain a high school diploma, you may participate online, in a program on center, or with a local school. Job Corps also offers classes to prepare you for the GED test. Many centers partner with local community colleges.



### SUCCESS PLAN

Job Corps staff is dedicated to working with you throughout your stay at Job Corps. Once on center, you will be assigned a counselor who will help you meet your career goals. They will help you create a hands-on career training program that fits your needs and prepares you for success in the work world. Computer training, resume writing and interview skills are all part of the program.



### SUPPORT

When you graduate, you will have the skills and confidence to start a promising career and earn good money. Job Corps will help you find the job that is right for you. And your Job Corps career transition specialist will stay in touch with you for a year, providing the support you need to get started in your career.



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